



# MACMILLAN CHILDREN'S BOOKS JAN/FEB 2021







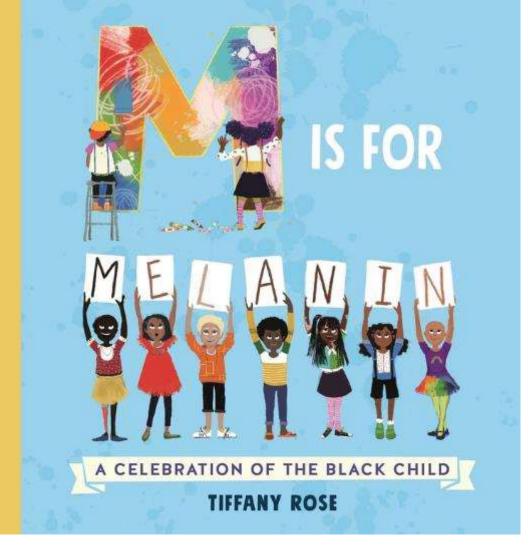
#### JANUARY 2021



Read by Stig Wemyss

## HIGHLIGHTS





M is for Melanin
A Celebration of the Black Child
Tiffany Rose

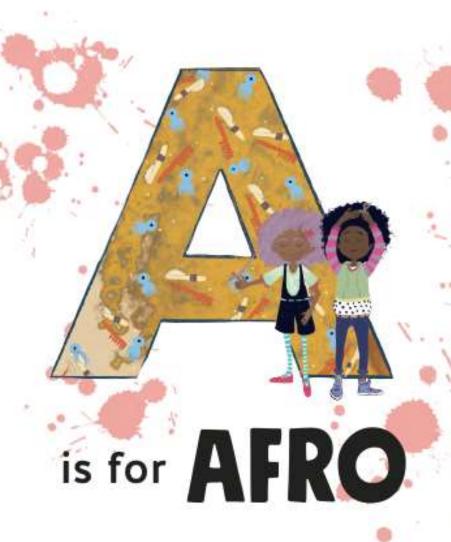
Your worth is not determined by what you have, but by who you are. Be bold. Be fearless. BE YOU.

*M is for Melanin* is an empowering alphabet book that teaches kids their ABC and celebrates black children. Each letter of the alphabet contains affirming, black-positive messages, from E is for Empowerment, to L is for Lead to W is for Worthy. This joyful book, written and illustrated by Tiffany Rose, teaches children their ABC and encourages all kids to love the skin they're in.

M is for Melanin shining in every inch of your skin. Every shade, every hue. All beautiful and unique.

ISBN: 9781529062502Format: PaperbackGenre: Picture Books

Extent: 40

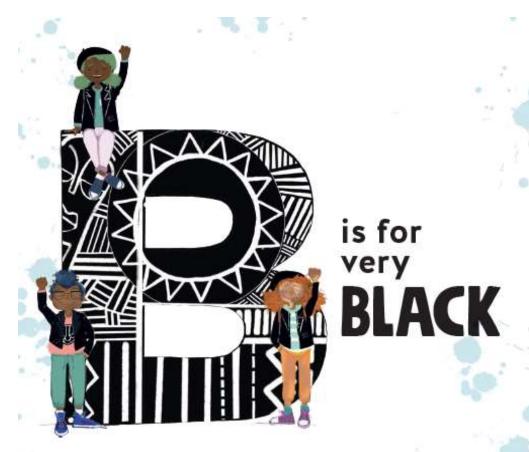


Your hair makes a statement.

Embrace the bigness of your hair.

PICK IT, FLUFF IT, LOVE IT.





Be it unapologetically. Be bold. Be fearless. **BE YOU.** 



#### is for **CREATIVE**

Paint the canvas of life with the colours of the rainbow.

Sprinkle your **BLACK GIRL MAGIC** and spread your **BLACK BOY JOY** around the world.



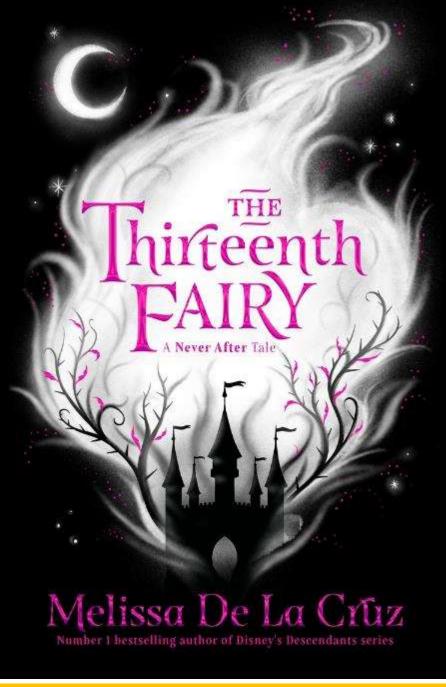
From MARTIN to MICHELLE and everyone in between, you, little black child, are your ancestors' wildest dream.



If the path you want doesn't exist, CREATE it. Dare to be different. PERSIST. People will say you can't . . . until you do.

### **Fiction**





#### The Thirteenth Fairy

#### Melissa de la Cruz

Real life and fairy tales collide in the first title in a middle-grade series by the bestselling author of Disney's Descendants series, Melissa de la Cruz - all the adventure of the Percy Jackson series combined with the magic of favourite classic fairy tales.

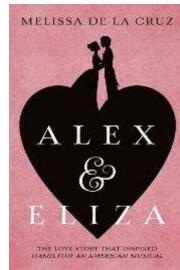
The Thirteenth Fairy is the first title in Never After, an exciting contemporary fantasy adventure series for readers of 9 to 11 by Melissa de la Cruz, the bestselling author of Disney's Descendants series. Perfect for fans of Disney's Twisted Tales.

Nothing exciting ever happens in Filomena Jefferson-Cho's small town. Until the day Jack Stalker, one of the heroes from her all-time favourite books, the Never After series, turns up. She *must* be dreaming!

But Jack insists that he's real, the stories are real, and she must come with him at once. Filomena is thrust into a world of fairies, sorcerers, dragons and slayers, where an evil queen is determined to wipe out the fairy tribes. To save the kingdom, Filomena and her new friends must find the truth behind the tale of the Thirteenth Fairy before it's too late.

ISBN: 9781529022759 Format: Paperback

Genre: Fiction







### Busy Recycle <a href="mailto:Campbell Books">Campbell Books</a>

A first novelty board book about how to recycle at home, with push, pull and turning mechanisms.

Push, pull and slide the tabs to help clean up the Earth in *Busy Recycle*! Watch the recycling truck do its work, reuse materials to make a rocket and recycle your waste in this fun book about helping the planet.

Children will love playing with this bright and colourful board book with gentle rhyming text and wonderful illustrations by Mel Matthews, which is part of the popular Busy Book series.

ISBN: 9781529051261Format: Board BookGenre: Non-Fiction



### **Busy Recycle**





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#### **Busy Grow**

#### **Campbell Books**

A first novelty board book all about how things grow, with push, pull and turning mechanisms.

Push, pull and slide the tabs to make things bloom in *Busy Grow!* Sprinkle seeds into the soil, water the plants and watch the beautiful flowers turn into fruit and vegetables as you discover how things grow.

Green-fingered toddlers will love playing with this bright and colourful board book with gentle rhyming text and wonderful illustrations by Diana Bedoya, which is part of the popular Busy Book series.

ISBN: 9781529052268Format: Board BookGenre: Non-Fiction

Extent: 10



#### **Busy Grow**

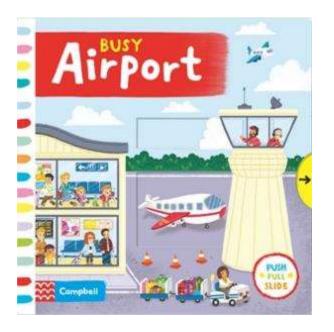


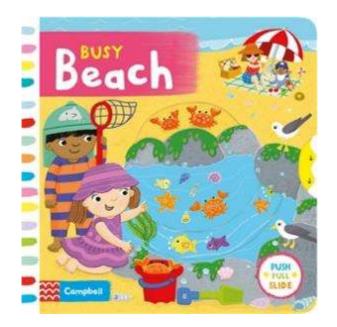


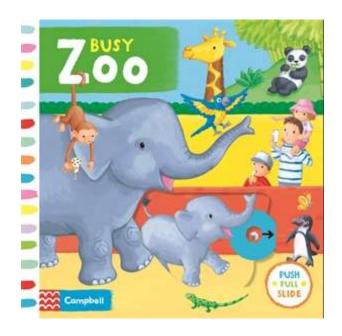
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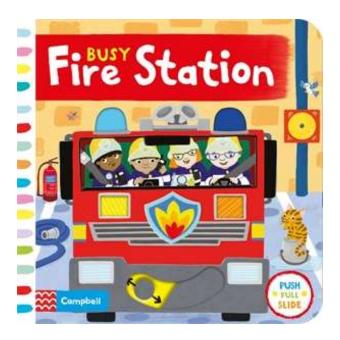


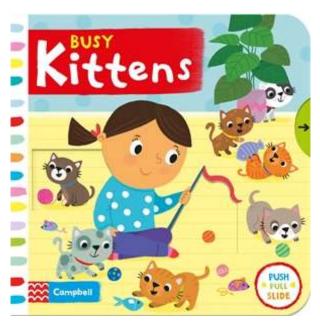










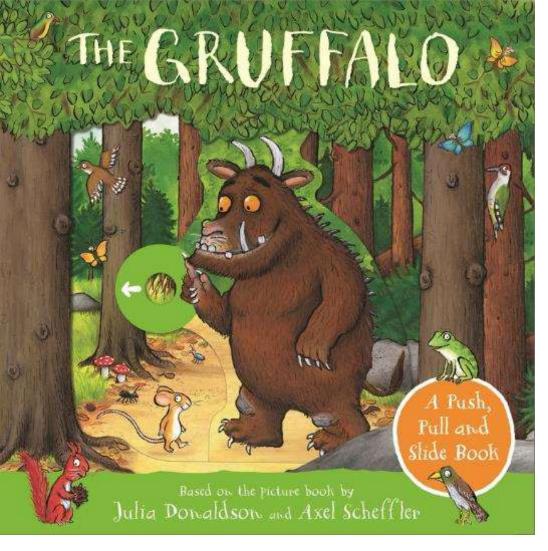


These interactive books has lots of additional features over and above the rhymes. The speech bubbles promote further interaction with the adults reading the book with the child and the push, pull and slide features help strengthen young children's fine motor control.' - Dr Amanda Gummer, Dr Gummer's Good Play Guide

SPECS: Toddler • 180 x 180 mm• 10pp incl. cover • Familiar topics • Novelty mechanisms

### **GRUFFALO**





The Gruffalo: A Push, Pull and Slide Book Julia Donaldson, Axel Scheffler

A brilliant board book with push, pull and slide mechanisms, based on the bestselling modern classic, *The Gruffalo*.

Push, pull and slide the moving mechanisms to meet all your favourite characters from the deep dark wood in this brilliant board book based on the bestselling classic picture book, *The Gruffalo* - and bring the story to life!

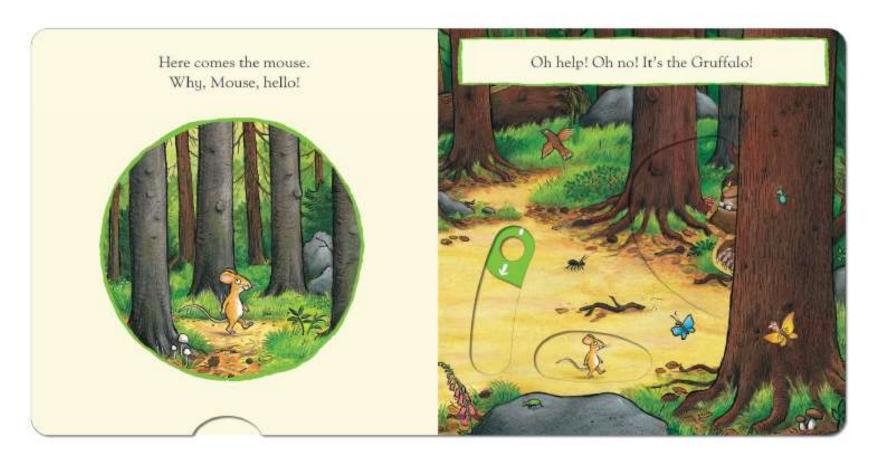
Discover what happens when a quick-witted mouse comes face to face with a fox, an owl, a snake . . . and a hungry Gruffalo! Move the magical push, pull and slide mechanisms on every spread to join in the fun.

The Gruffalo: A Push, Pull and Slide Book is the perfect introduction to the bestselling picture book *The Gruffalo* by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler, and a great gift for fans of the original story.

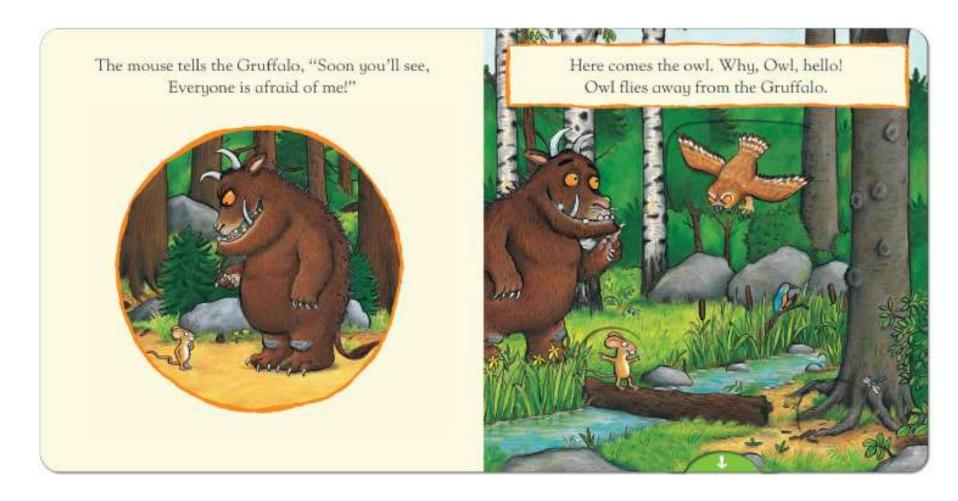
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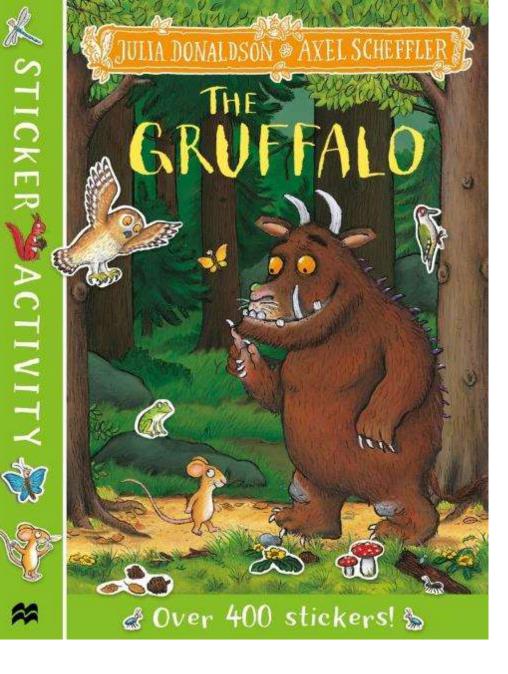
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The Gruffalo Sticker Book R/I Julia Donaldson, Axel Scheffler

A fun sticker book, based on the bestselling picture book, *The Gruffalo*, and packed full of activities and over 400 stickers.

Packed with games, activities and over 400 stickers, *The Gruffalo Sticker Book* is a great gift for any child - perfect for journeys, rainy days and holidays.

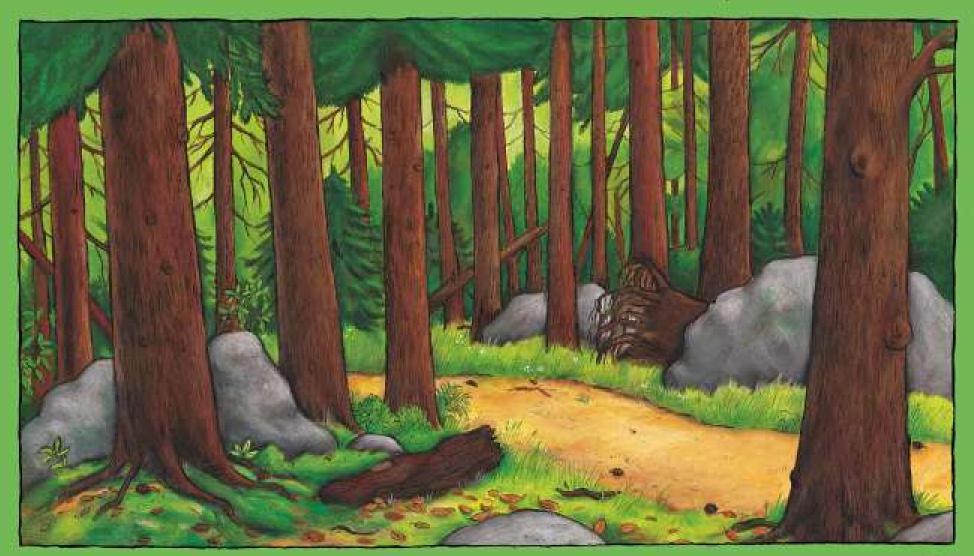
Walk further into the deep dark wood, and discover what happens when a quick-witted mouse comes face to face with a fox, an owl, a snake . . . and a hungry Gruffalo! Join in the fun with this brilliant sticker activity book, based on the bestselling modern classic, *The Gruffalo*, by Julia Donaldson and Axel Scheffler.

ISBN: 9781529040951Format: PaperbackGenre: Non-Fiction

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#### Deep Dark Wood Sticker Scene A resource took a stroll through the deep dark wood...

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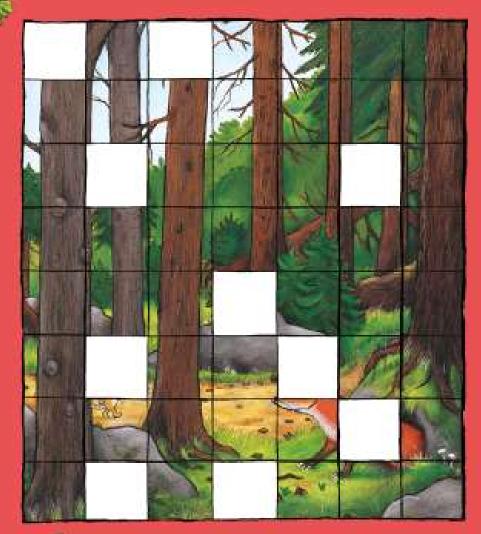


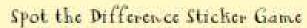


#### Sticker Jigsaw Who doe Mose men fee on his stell?

Who does Mouse must list on his stroll? Use jump stickers to complete the jigues and find out.



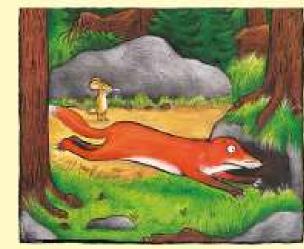


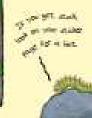


Fox runs away when Mouse tells him about the Graffalo. Can you spot ten differences between these two pictures?



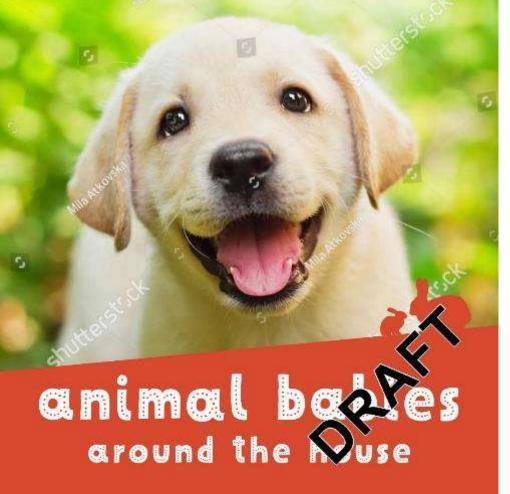
Now use your stickers to make this picture match the one above.











### Animal Babies Around The House Kingfisher

Meet fluffy kittens, snuffling guinea pigs, and bouncing puppies in this super cute interactive guessing game book about baby animals around the house.

Using the picture and word clues, can you guess the baby animal and its mummy?

- High-impact, supercute photos of baby animals in different environment
- Large, chunky board book format—perfect for parent and child to share
- An early introduction to species and habitats for pre-schoolers

ISBN: 9780753446317Format: Board BookGenre: Non-Fiction





#### Animal Babies Around In Forest Kingfisher

Meet the cutest baby animals in rainforests in this interactive guessing game book.

Meet mischievous monkeys, colourful frogs, and slow-moving sloths in this supercute interactive guessing game book about baby animals in rain forests. Using the picture and word clues, can you guess the baby animal and its mummy?

- High-impact, supercute photos of baby animals in different environments
- Interactive element encourages discussion between parent and child—using the picture clues, can you guess the baby animal and its mummy?
- Large, chunky board book format—perfect for parent and child to share
- An early introduction to species and habitats for pre-schoolers

ISBN: 9780753446324Format: Board BookGenre: Non-Fiction





#### Animal Babies in Polar Lands

#### **Kingfisher**

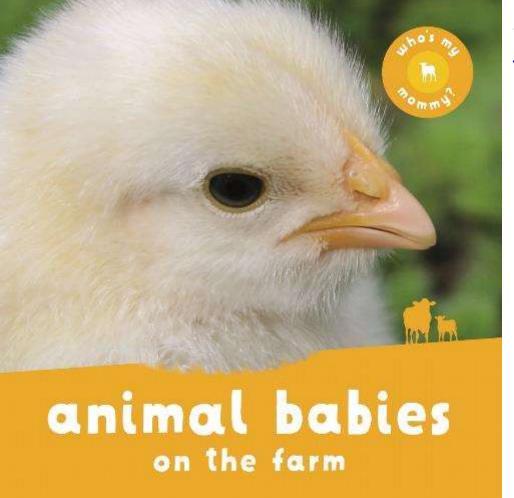
Meet the cutest baby animals in polar lands in this interactive guessing game book.

Meet big-eyed seal pups, pecking penguins, and fluffy polar bear cubs in this supercute interactive guessing game book about baby animals in polar lands. Using the picture and word clues, can you guess the baby animal and its mummy?

- High-impact, supercute photos of baby animals in different environments
- Interactive element encourages discussion between parent and child—using the picture clues, can you guess the baby animal and its mummy?
- Large, chunky board book format—perfect for parent and child to share
- An early introduction to species and habitats for pre-schoolers

ISBN: 9780753446331Format: Board BookGenre: Non-Fiction





### Animal Babies on the Farm Kingfisher

Meet pink piglets, chirpy chicks, and leggy lambs in this super cute interactive guessing game book about baby animals on the farm. Using the picture and word clues, can you guess the baby animal and its mummy?

- High-impact, super cute photos of baby animals in different environments
- Interactive element encourages discussion between parent and child—using the picture clues, can you guess the baby animal and its mummy?
- Large, chunky board book format—perfect for parent and child to share
- An early introduction to species and habitats for pre-schoolers

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### FEBRUARY 2021

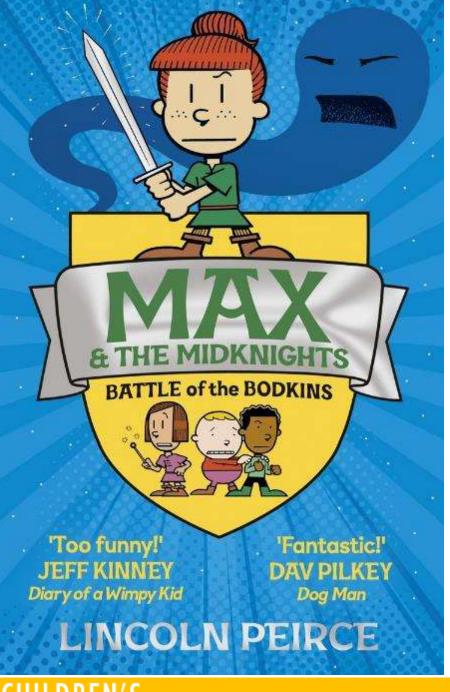


### **HIGHLIGHTS**



### **Fiction**





Max and the Midknights: Battle of the Bodkins

#### **Lincoln Peirce**

Need a hero? It's Max to the rescue! The second book in the laugh-out-loud series from the bestselling author of Big Nate.

Join Max's quest to become a knight! The second book in the *New York Times* bestselling illustrated series is full of even more laughs, more magic and more (mis)adventure - from the creator of Big Nate!

'Epic fun! Epic laughs!' Jeff Kinney, bestselling author of the Diary of a Wimpy Kid series.

'Another masterpiece!' Dav Pilkey, bestselling author of the Dog Man series.

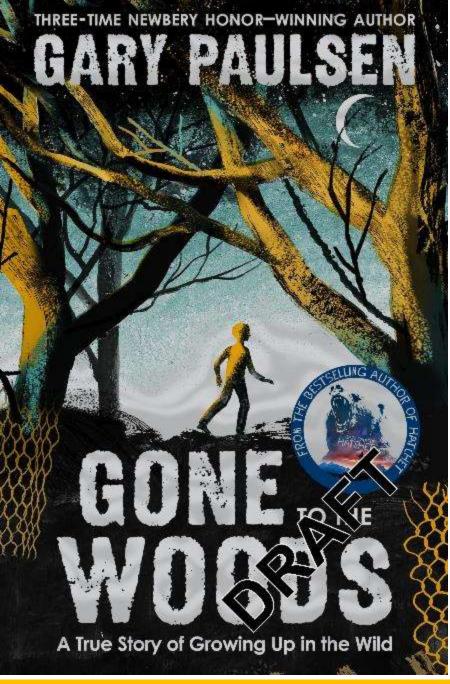
Byjovia is under attack, and it's up to Max and her best friends - the Midknights - to save the day! The quest is on as the Midknights set out to face the beastly Bodkins, powerful spells and their greatest foes yet.

With his trademark comic book-style illustrations, Lincoln Peirce brings epic adventure, riotous fun and medieval silliness in *Max and the Midknights: Battle of the Bodkins*, book two in the Max & the Midknights series.

LINCOLN PEIRCE

ISBN: 9781529029284Format: Paperback

Genre: Fiction



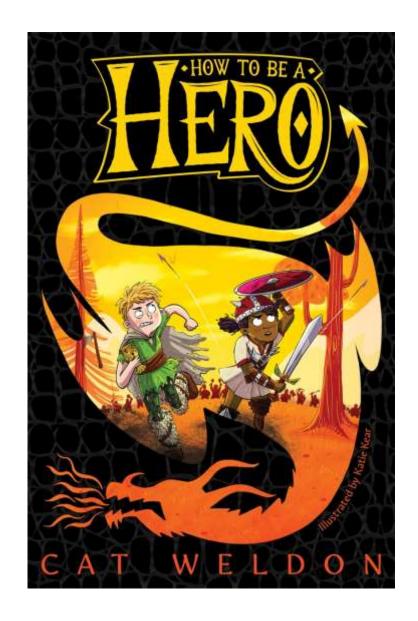
Gone to the Woods: A True Story of Growing Up in the Wild Gary Paulsen

A middle grade memoir from a living literary legend, giving readers a new perspective on the origins of Gary Paulsen's famed survival stories. From the author of the bestselling *Hatchet* comes a true story of high-stakes wilderness survival!

If not for his eight-hundred-mile journey from the busy Chicago city to a captivating Minnesotan farm aged five, there never would have been a *Hatchet*. Without the encouragement of the librarian who handed him his first book aged thirteen, he may never have become a reader. And without his daring teenage enlistment in the army, he might not have discovered his true calling as a storyteller.

Gone to the Woods: A True Story of Growing Up in the Wild is the entrancing true story of Gary Paulsen's childhood, of grit and growing up, and is the acclaimed author at his rawest and most real.

ISBN: 9781529047721Format: PaperbackGenre: Fiction



### How to Be a Hero Cat Weldon, Katie Kear

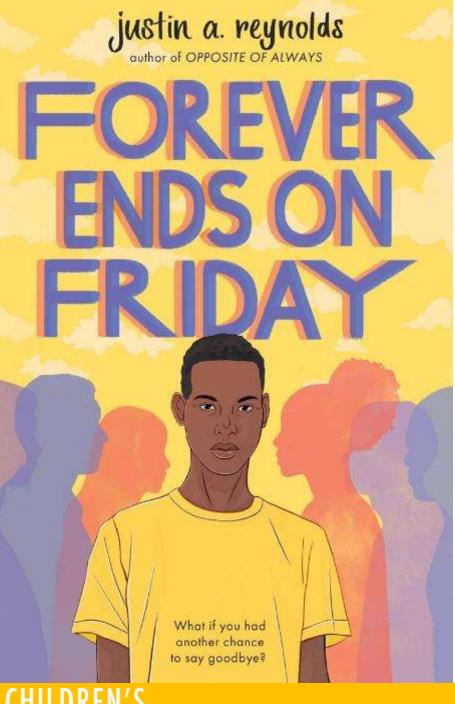
A hilarious high-stakes fantasy adventure about friendship and bravery set in the world of the Norse Gods for fans of *How to Train Your Dragon* from debut author Cat Weldon.

A viking thief desperate to be a hero. A trainee valkyrie on a mission to prove herself. An ungodly case of mistaken identity.

When trainee valkyrie Lotta mistakes an unconscious viking thief, Whetstone, for a fallen hero and takes him triumphantly to Valhalla, things are definitely *not* turning out to be epic or glorious. Having lost a precious talking cup, Whetstone is also desperate to cover up his mistake and the two embark on a quarrelsome journey to find it and regain their heroic status. But Loki the trickster God is desperate to get his hands on the cup with a plan to unleash chaos across the nine worlds. Can Whetstone prove himself a hero after all when it matters most?

The first in a hilarious and fast-paced trilogy about how to be brave, what it means to be a hero and just how confusing the Norse Gods *really* are. Fully illustrated throughout, Cat Weldon's *How to Be a Hero: Tales from a Terrible Viking* is perfect for fans of *How to Train Your Dragon* and *Who Let the Gods Out*.

ISBN: 9781529045031Format: PaperbackGenre: Fiction



Forever Ends on Friday Justin Reynolds

Forever Ends on Friday is Justin. A. Reynolds' second novel, perfect for fans of Nicola Yoon, Becky Albertalli, and John Green.

Justin A. Reynolds, author of *Opposite of Always*, returns with *Forever Ends on Friday*, another charming and powerful YA contemporary novel with a twist.

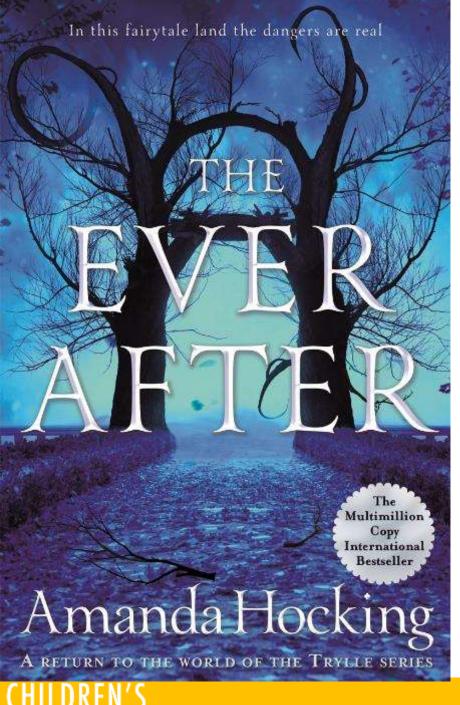
What if you could bring your best friend back to life - but only for a short time? Jamal's best friend, Q, doesn't know that he died, and that he's about to die . . . again. He doesn't know that Jamal tried to save him. And that the reason they haven't been friends for two years is because Jamal blames Q for the accident that killed his parents.

But what if Jamal could have a second chance? A new technology allows Q to be reanimated for a few weeks before he dies . . . permanently. And Q's mom is not about to let anyone ruin this miracle by telling Q about his impending death. So how can Jamal fix everything if he can't tell Q the truth?

Forever Ends on Friday weaves together loss, grief, friendship, and love to form a wholly unique homage to the bonds that bring people together for life - and beyond.

ISBN: 9781509881024 Format: Paperback

Genre: Fiction



## OMTE Origins 03: The Ever After Amanda Hocking

Friendships will be tested, challenges will be overcome, and an earth-shattering secret will be revealed in this final instalment of the Omte Origins trilogy by Amanda Hocking, bestselling author of the Trylle trilogy.

#### **Description**

Welcome to a world in the shadow of our own, a fairytale land where the dangers are real . . . In *The Ever After*, the final book in the Omte Origins trilogy, Amanda Hocking creates an epic adventure in her much-loved Trylle universe.

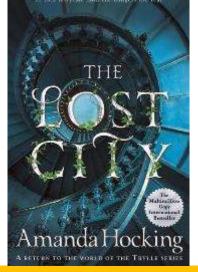
Ulla, Pan and Eliana will embark on their greatest adventure yet, with consequences for the entire Trylle world.

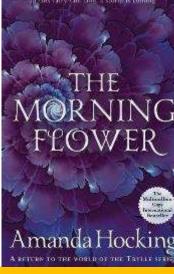
'Addictive' Guardian

'Drew me in and kept me hooked' Sunday Express

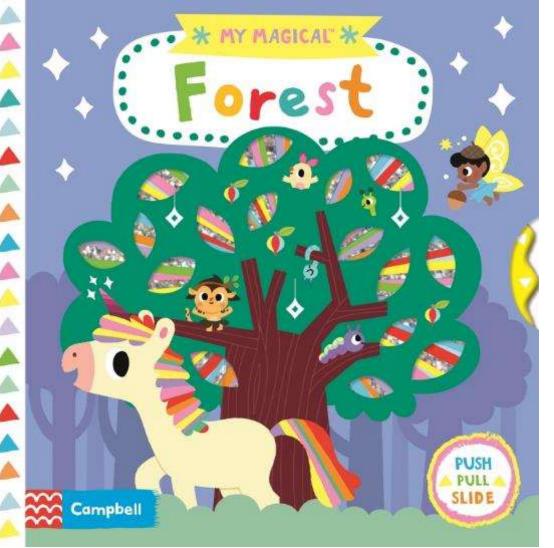
ISBN: 9781529001341Format: Paperback

Genre: FictionExtent: 496









### My Magical Forest

### **Campbell Books**

A first novelty board book about magical creatures in a magical forest, with push, pull and turn mechanisms.

With a sparkly foil cover, *My Magical Forest* takes readers on a wonderful journey into an enchanted forest.

With push, pull and turn mechanisms, little ones will have lots of fun taking part an exciting adventure with a magical unicorn and her forest friends!

Yujin Shin's beautifully coloured illustrations are paired with gentle rhyming text to create a perfect magical world, with bright, sparkling detail and things to spot in four magical scenes.

My Magical Forest is another exciting addition to the My Magical series, based on the popular Busy Book format.

ISBN: 9781529052312Format: Board BookGenre: Non-Fiction

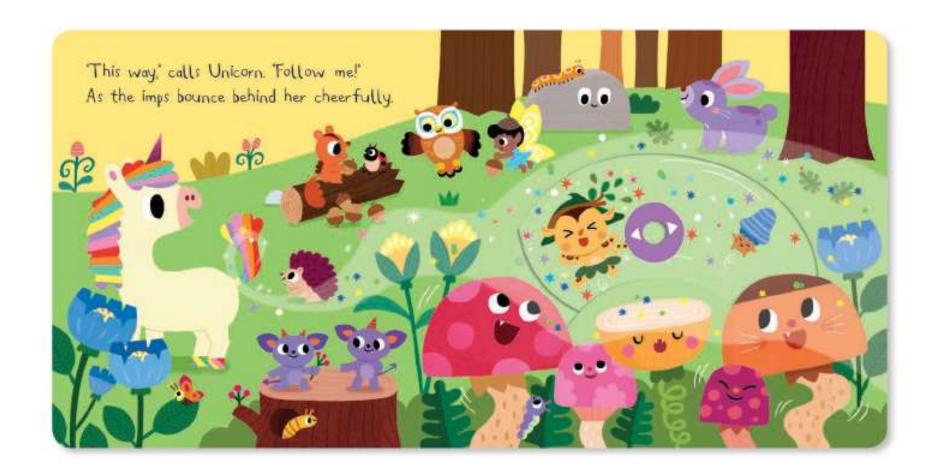


## My Magical™ Forest

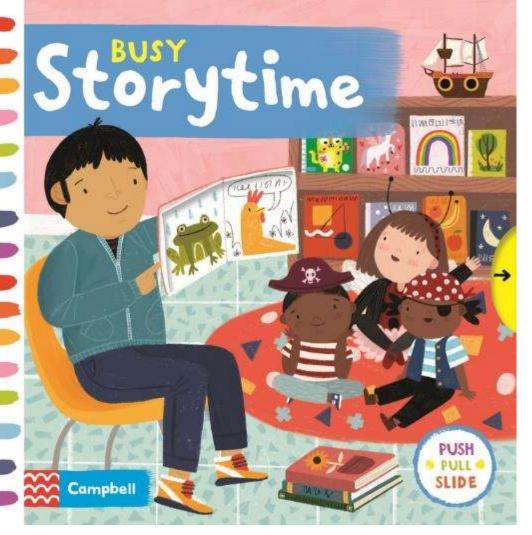




## My Magical™ Forest







# Busy Storytime <a href="Campbell Books">Campbell Books</a>, <a href="Jean Claude">Jean Claude</a>

## A first novelty board book about storytime with push, pull and turning mechanisms.

Push, pull and slide the tabs as you enjoy *Busy Storytime*! Pick a book to read, act it out and sail away on an adventure, then share the story with your friends. A perfect introduction to the joy of reading for little ones.

Children will love playing with this bright and colourful board book with gentle rhyming text and wonderful illustrations by Jean Claude, which is part of the popular Busy Book series. A perfect gift to celebrate World Book Day!

ISBN: 9781529052251Format: Board BookGenre: Non-Fiction

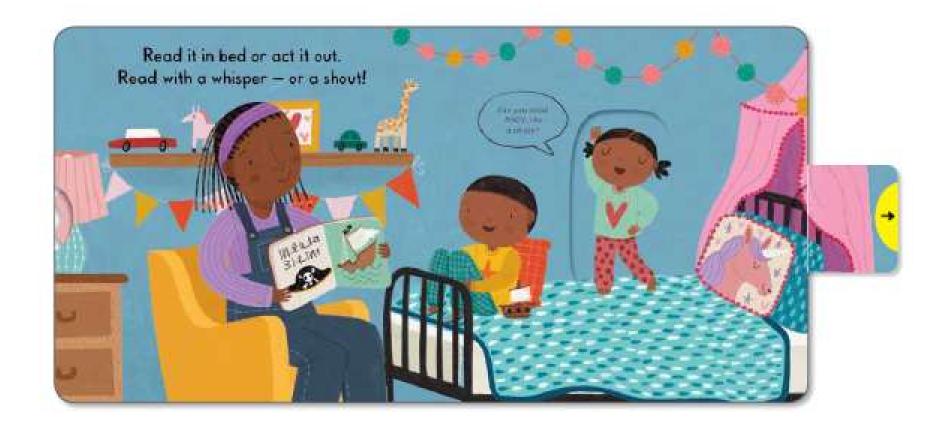


## Busy Storytime

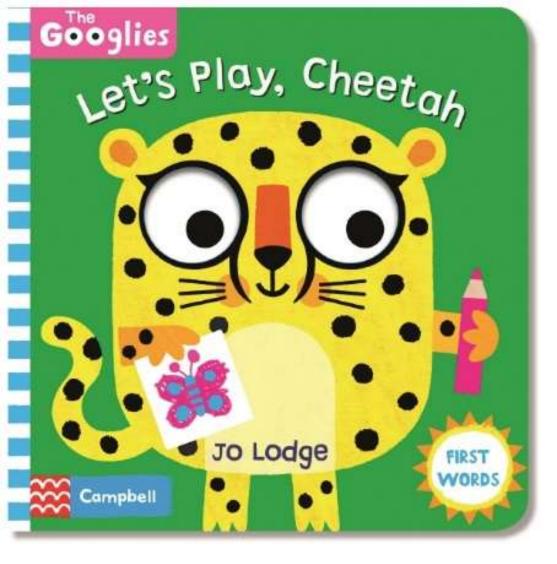




## Busy Storytime







# Let's Play, Cheetah Jo Lodge, Campbell Books

A first-word board book for babies. With bold, googly eyes, a mechanism and bright illustrations by Jo Lodge.

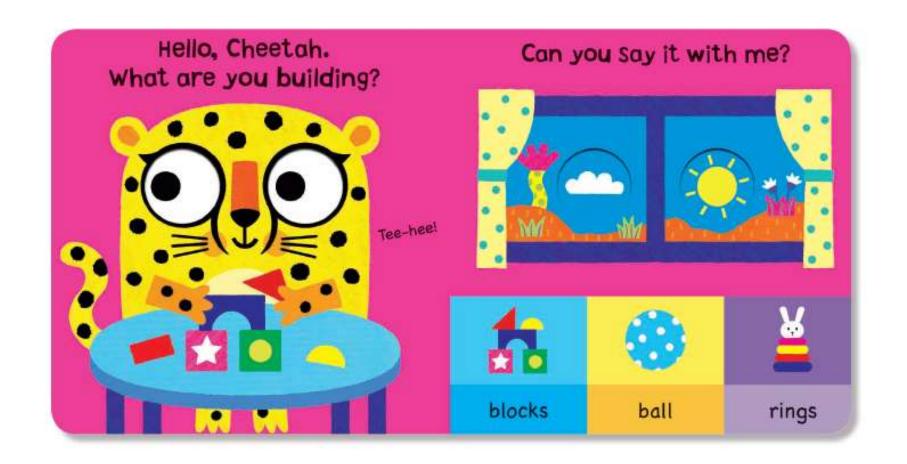
Meet The Googlies by Jo Lodge! In *Let's Play, Cheetah*, children will learn first words about playtime.

Bold, googly eyes and a sliding mechanism bring this adorable cheetah to life, while children share the simple story and point at the bright pictures.

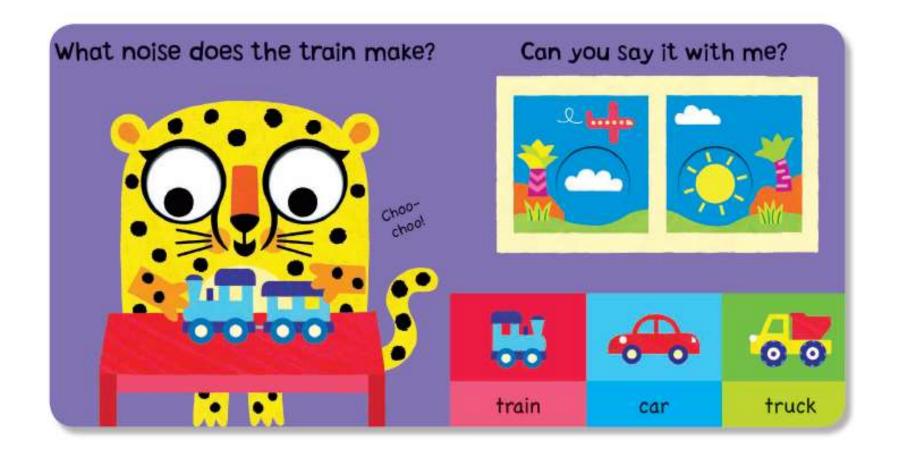
An ideal book for babies, this title combines bright illustrations, a simple story and first words - a perfect introduction to playtime for little ones.

ISBN: 9781529026764Format: Board BookGenre: Non-Fiction

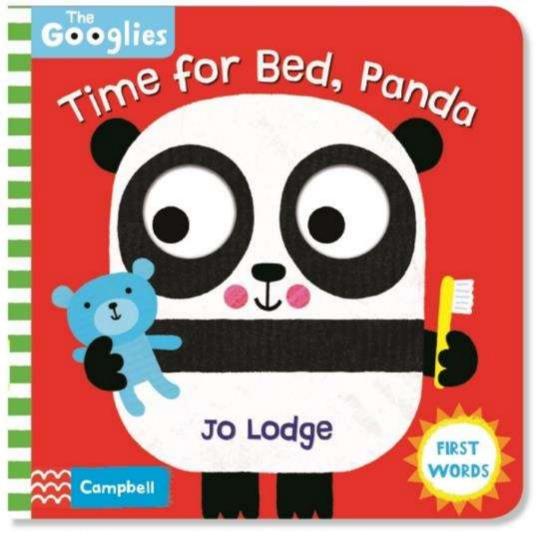












# Time for Bed, Panda <u>Jo Lodge</u>, <u>Campbell Books</u>

A first-word board book for babies. With bold, googly eyes, a mechanism and bright illustrations by Jo Lodge.

Meet The Googlies by Jo Lodge! In *Time for Bed, Panda*, children will learn first words about their bedtime routine.

Bold, googly eyes and a sliding mechanism bring this adorable panda to life, while children share the simple story and point at the pictures.

An ideal book for babies, this title combines bright illustrations, a simple story and first words - a perfect introduction to bedtime routines.

ISBN: 9781529026740Format: Board BookGenre: Non-Fiction



## JO LODGE - GOOGLIES Time For Bed Panda



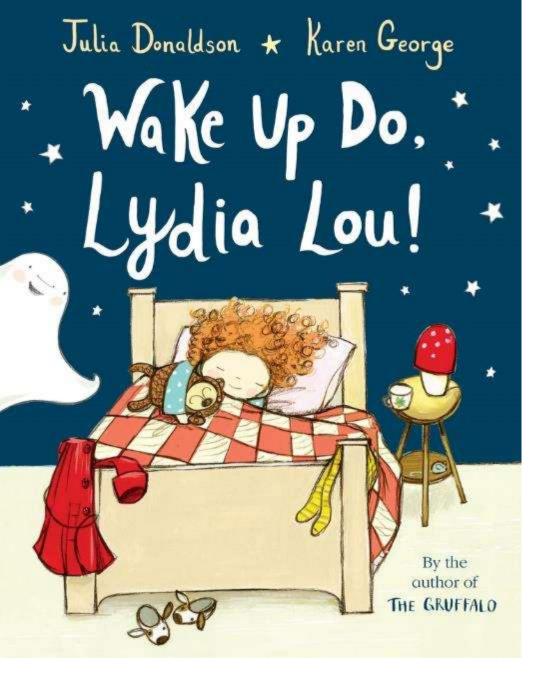






# **Picture Books**





Wake Up Do, Lydia Lou!

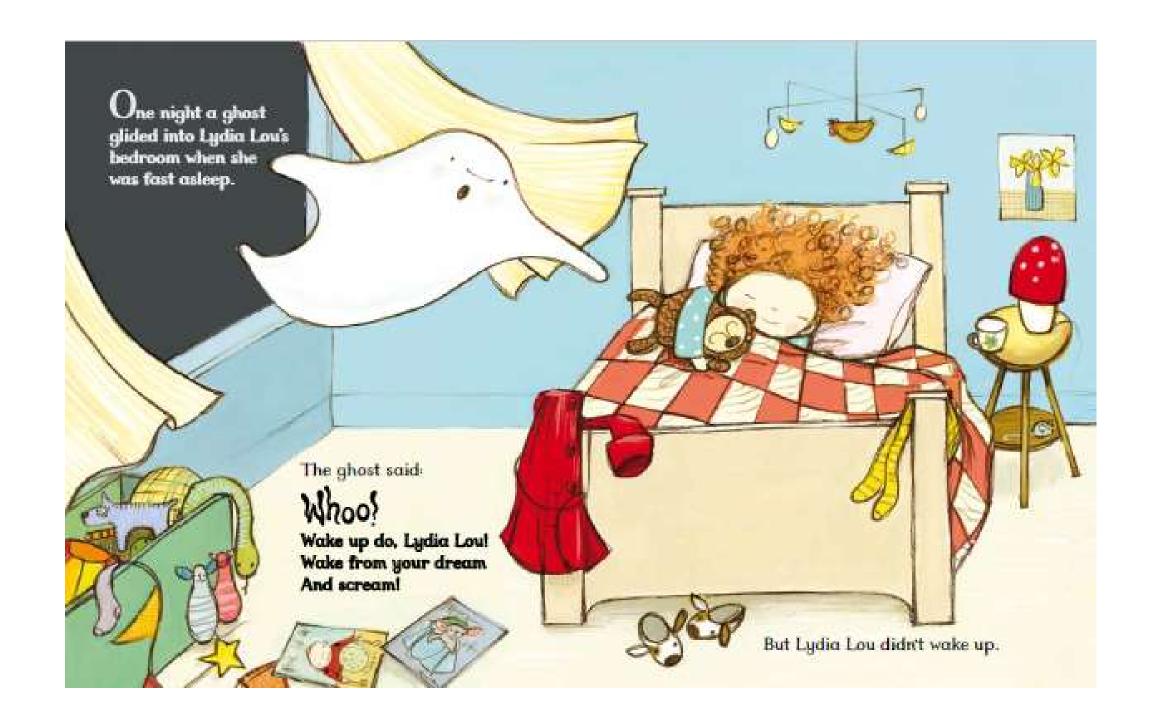
Julia Donaldson, Karen George

Will anything wake Lydia Lou? A sweet and funny rhyming story from the author of *The Gruffalo*.

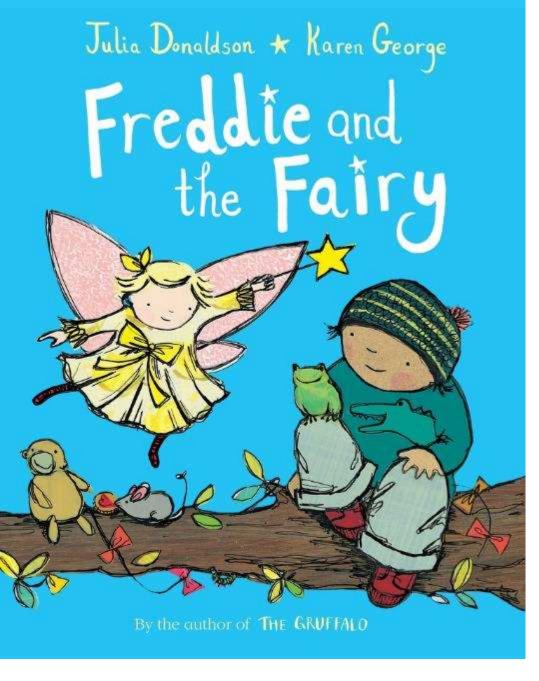
Written by Julia Donaldson, the author of *The Gruffalo*, and illustrated by prizewinning Karen George, *Wake Up Do, Lydia Lou!* is a gentle and playful bedtime read - full of fun sounds to join in with time and time again.

One night, a little ghost glides into Lydia Lou's room to scare her. But no matter how hard he tries, he just can't wake her up. He thinks perhaps some of his noisy animal friends could help but they have no luck either. Not even a noisy baby will do the trick! From ghosts booing to cats mewing, will anything wake up Lydia Lou?

ISBN: 9781529042535Format: PaperbackGenre: Picture Books







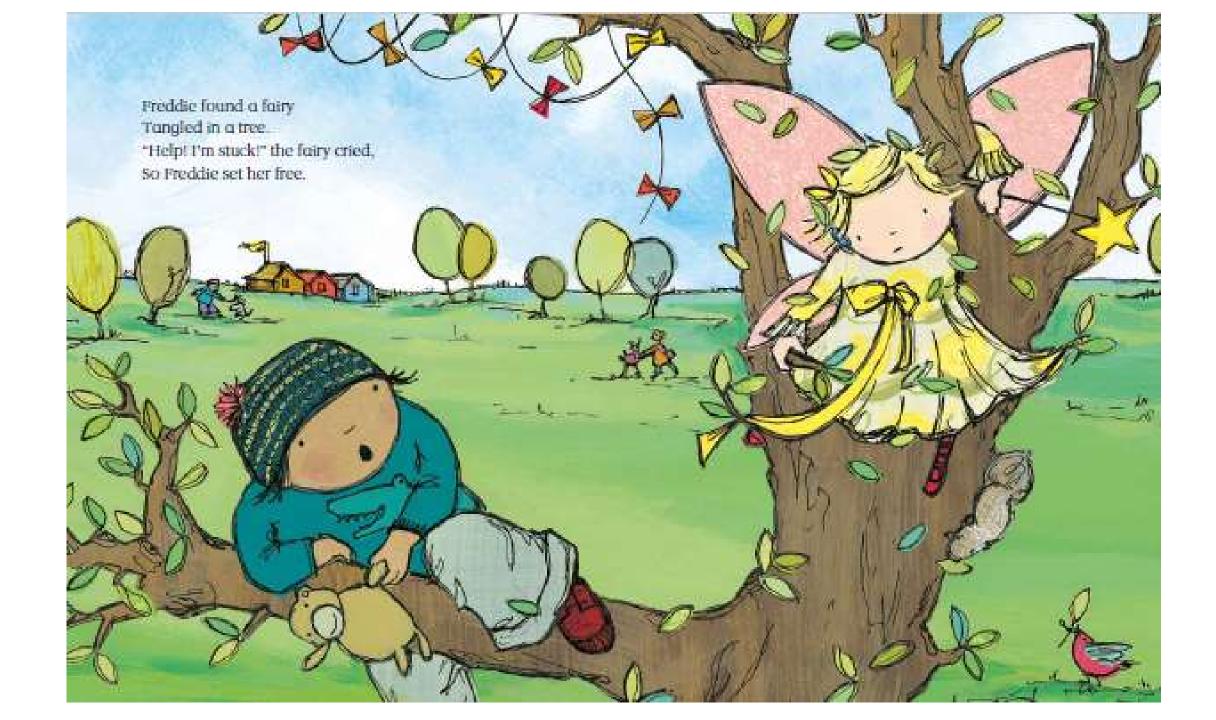
Freddie and the Fairy R/I

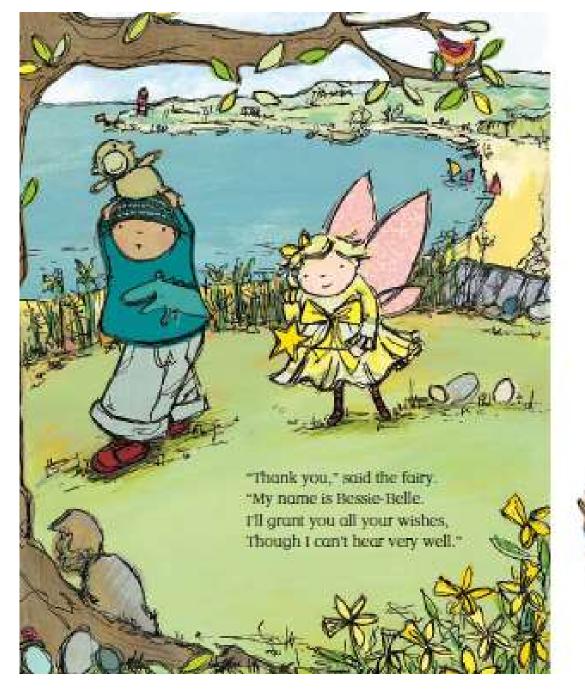
Julia Donaldson, Karen George

A sweet and funny rhyming story with a gentle empathetic message. Written by Julia Donaldson, the author of *The Gruffalo*, and illustrated by Karen George, *Freddie and the Fairy* is a delightfully witty, rhyming tale.

Freddie wants nothing more than a pet, so when the fairy Bessie-Belle offers to grant his wishes, he knows just what to ask for. But Bessie-Belle can't hear very well and Freddie tends to mumble, which means the wishes aren't turning out as planned! Whatever can they do? Luckily the Fairy Queen is on hand to help.

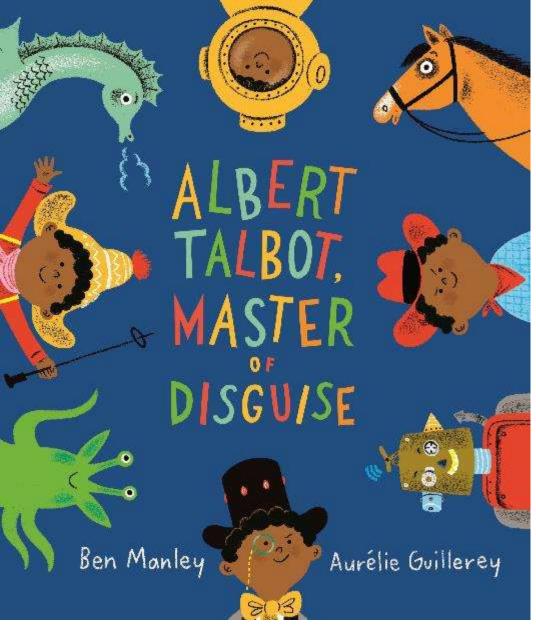
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Freddie thought, then mumbled: "I wish I had a pet."





Albert Talbot: Master of Disguise

**Ben Manley** 

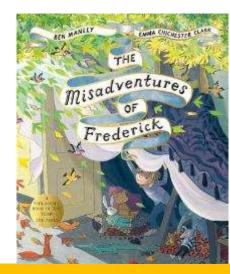
A story of imagination and adventure from the acclaimed author of *The Misadventures of Frederick*, Ben Manley, and *Daddy Long Legs* illustrator Aurélie Guillerey.

Who will Albert be next? A fearless mountaineer, a brilliant mechanical engineer or a galactic megalord? Anything is possible with an imagination like Albert's as he powers through his day.

As a boy, Albert is nervous in a swimming lesson, but as Zandrian Delaclair, Antarctic Submariner and slayer of vampire cuttlefish, he's as brave and bold as can be. Show and Tell in front of the whole class can be a bit scary, but by imagining himself to be Professor Octavius Pickleswick he's proud to show off his greatest invention yet.

A brilliantly funny story, full of exciting things to look at, about the joys of being whoever you want to be . . . and the comfort of sometimes just being yourself.

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My name is Clate Stouderhoofen. Notorious Desperado, and I cannot leave my hideous as I am a wanted man.

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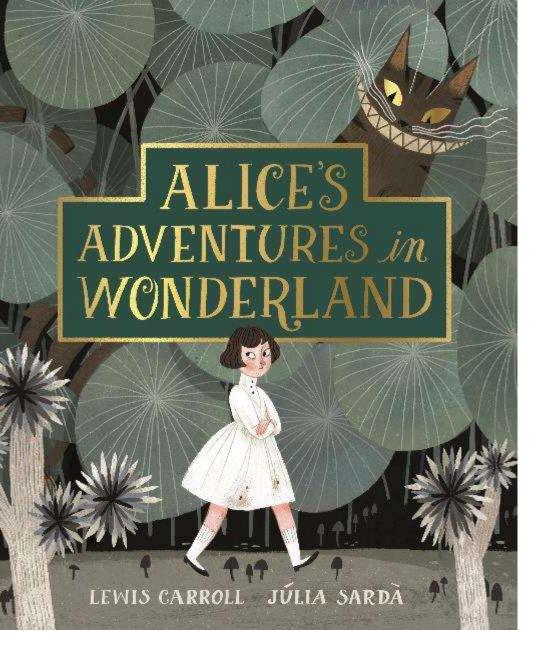
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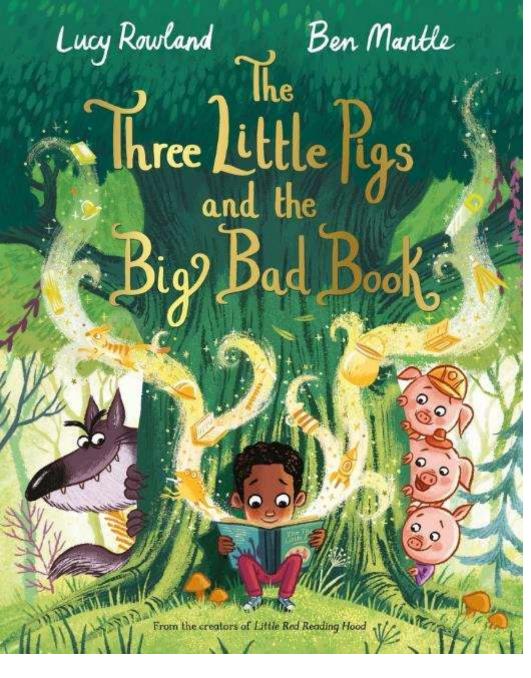
# Alice's Adventures in Wonderland Lewis Carroll

An elegant edition of one of the best-loved stories in children's literature, complete and unabridged with over 30 full colour illustrations from Júlia Sardà – illustrator of *Beetle Boy* and *The Clockwork Sparrow*.

Júlia's hauntingly magical pictures breathe new life into the famous tale of a bored little girl who finds herself falling into a world of bizarre creatures and whimsical riddles. This short-haired brunette in her white dress is true to the appearance of the real-life Alice who inspired the book.

A gorgeous piece of art to treasure with shining embossed gold details on the cover, Júlia Sardà's *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland* will make the perfect present for devoted Alice fans, as well as a wonderful introduction to anyone not already familiar with the story. It also makes a splendid follow-up to *One Day in Wonderland*, a nonfiction exploration of Lewis Carroll's life and wordplay written by Kathleen Krull and illustrated by Júlia Sardà.

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The Three Little Pigs and the Big Bad Book Lucy Rowland, Ben Mantle

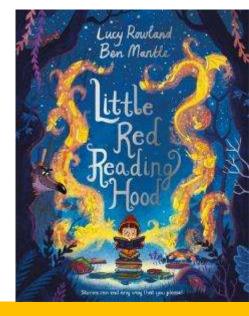
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When Ben's mum gets distracted halfway through his bedtime story, he decides to finish the tale himself. There's only one problem - he can't quite read yet. To Ben's surprise, the three little pigs come knocking on the door, and the big bad wolf isn't far behind ... But this time, will the story have a different ending?

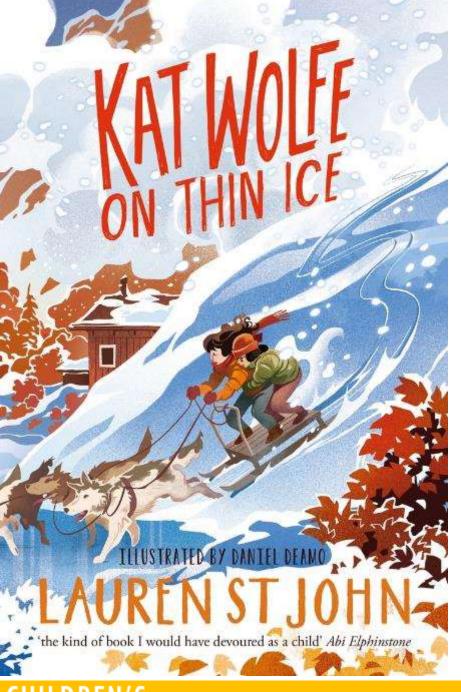
A playful rhyming story by Lucy Rowland, with hilarious illustrations from Ben Mantle.

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# **FICTION**





#### Kat Wolfe on Thin Ice

#### Lauren St John

Join Kat and Harper as they investigate an icy mystery in this wintry Wolfe and Lamb adventure from the bestselling Lauren St John.

Join Kat Wolfe and her best friend Harper Lamb on the winter holiday of a lifetime in Kat Wolfe on Thin Ice - full of mystery, intrigue, snow and huskies!

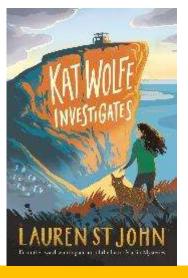
Kat and Harper can't wait to join their parents on a winter vacation in a mountain cabin in the US. But a series of misadventures result in them being in the wrong place at the wrong time. Alone.

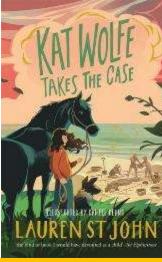
When Kat discovers that an argument she witnessed in New York City holds the key to a major crime, she's certain that it's only a matter of time until the culprits come looking for her.

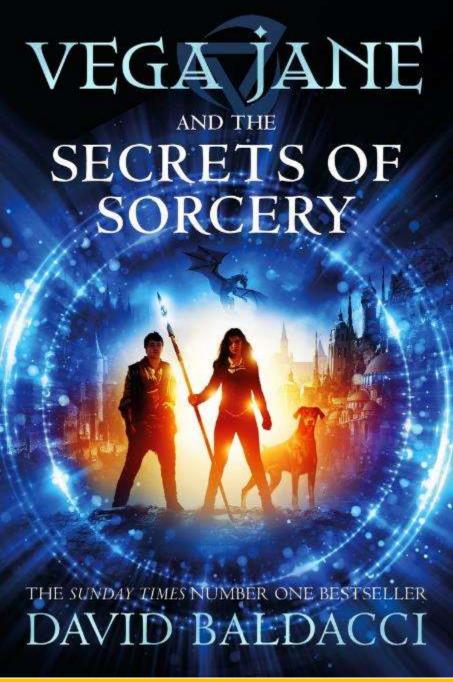
With a snow storm moving in and no way out, all that stands between the girls and disaster are a team of eight huskies and one impossible raccoon.

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Genre: Fiction







Vega Jane and the Secrets of Sorcery David Baldacci, Tomislav Tomic

David Baldacci's action-packed, fantasy adventure for children: *Vega Jane and the Secrets of Sorcery* follows one girl's quest for freedom and truth - a quest that could cost her her life.

Full of monsters, magic, danger and mystery, *Vega Jane and the Secrets of Sorcery* is the first title in the thrilling fantasy adventure series by bestselling master storyteller David Baldacci. Illustrated throughout by Tomislav Tomic.

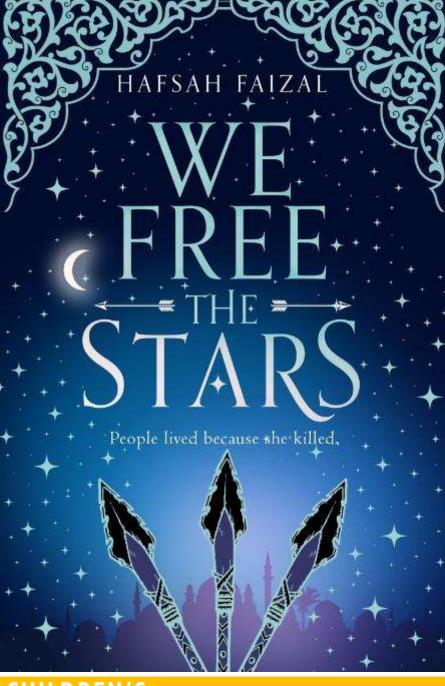
Vega Jane is fourteen when she is secretly given a map that reveals a mysterious world and dangerous creatures beyond the walls of Wormwood, a place no one has ever left - or wanted to. Until now. The map makes her question everything she has ever been told about the place she calls home. Her friend Delph and her dog, Harry Two, are the only ones Vega trusts. Trapped by secrets and lies, they want freedom and truth.

But she will have to fight for freedom. And the truth may cost Vega her life.

Continue the adventure series with Vega Jane and the Maze of Monsters.

Vega Jane and the Secrets of Sorcery was previously published as The Finisher and has been edited for younger readers and re-illustrated throughout.

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We Free the Stars

**Hafsah Faizal** 

A rich and searing epic fantasy sequel set in ancient Arabia, Hafsah Faizal's *We Free the Stars* is the highly anticipated follow up to *We Hunt the Flame*.

The hotly anticipated follow-up to the *New York Times* bestelling *We Hunt the Flame*.

After the battle on Sharr, Zafira and Nasir return to a ghostly Sultan's Keep, low on resources and allies alike. The dark forest has fallen, but the kingdom teems with fear of the Lion of the Night's return. As Nasir struggles to master the dark power in his blood, Zafira struggles against a very different darkness festering through her bond with the Jawarat.

We Free the Stars is the breathtaking second book in the Sands of Arawiya duology, by the masterful Hafsah Faizal.

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# **Poetry**



# Chris Riddell



# Poems to Fall in Love With Chris Riddell

A gorgeous, heart-warming anthology of poems about love and romance from award-winning illustrator Chris Riddell.

In *Poems to Fall in Love With* Chris Riddell has selected and illustrated his very favourite classic and modern poems about love.

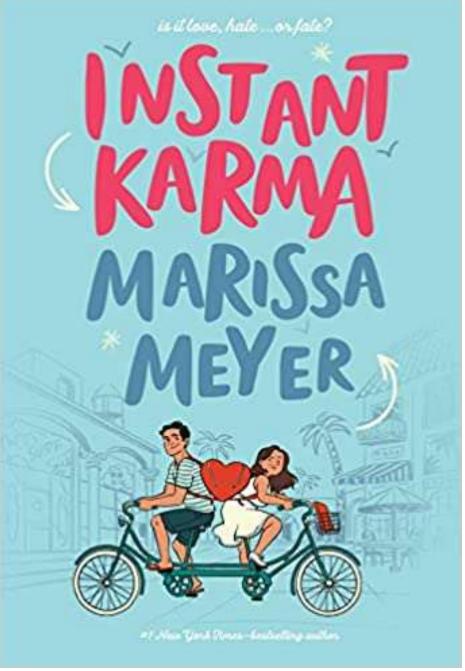
This gorgeously illustrated collection, Chris's follow-up to one of the *Bookseller*'s best poetry books of the last 25 years, *Poems to Live Your Life By*, celebrates love in all its guises, from silent admiration, passion and married bliss to tearful resignation. These poems speak of the universal experiences of the heart and are brought to life with Chris's exquisite, intricate artwork.

This perfect gift features famous poems, old and new, and a few surprises. Classic verses sit alongside the modern to create the ultimate collection. Includes poems from Neil Gaiman, Nikita Gill, Carol Ann Duffy, E. E. Cummings, Shakespeare, Leonard Cohen, Derek Walcott, Hollie McNish, Kate Tempest, John Betjeman and Roger McGough and many more.

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# **MAC US**





#### **Instant Karma**

#### Marissa Meyer

Chronic overachiever Prudence Daniels is always quick to cast judgement on the residents of her coastal town. Her dreams of karmic justice are fulfilled when, after a night out with her friends, she wakes up with the sudden ability to cast instant karma on those around her.

Pru giddily makes use of the power, flexing it on everyone from public vandals to karaoke hecklers. But there is one person on whom her powers consistently backfire: Quint Erickson, her slacker of a lab partner and all-around mortal enemy.

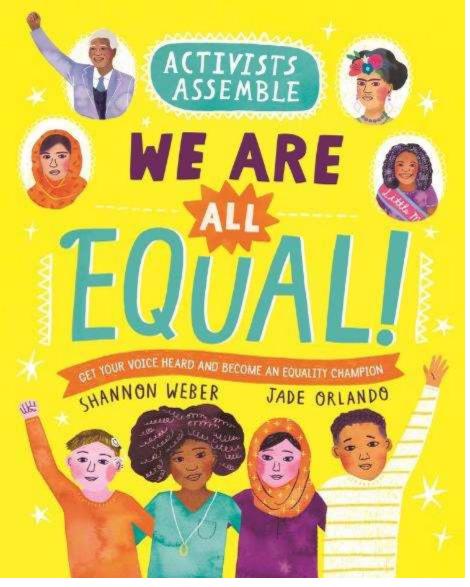
Soon, Pru begins to uncover truths about Quint, her peers, and even herself. She discovers how thin the line is between virtue and vanity, generosity and greed . . . love and hate.

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# **Non-Fiction**





Activists Assemble: We Are All Equal!

Shannon Weber, Jade Orlando

A call to action for all young activists, giving them the information, inspiration, and practical advice they need to get their voices heard.

What is equality? A big question to answer and an even bigger topic to implement. *Activists Assemble: We Are All Equal* explains what it is to be a citizen, how important it is to treat, and be treated, as equal within the society, and how you can use your voice to champion equality.

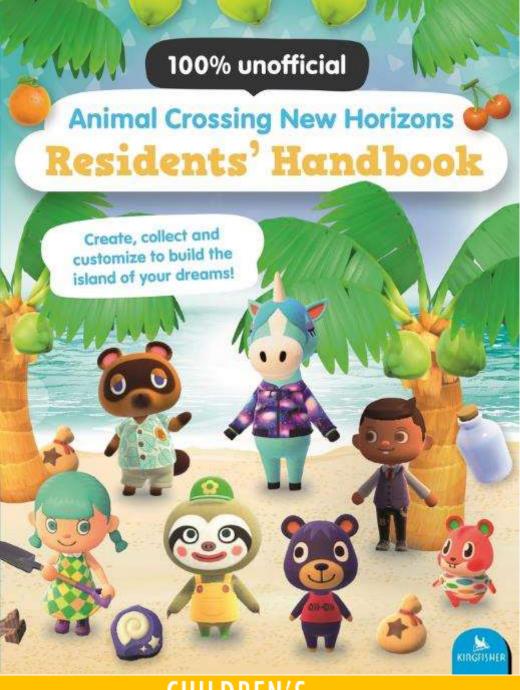
Discover the history of equality - both the successes and the tragedies, meet past and present faces who overcame discrimination to be a voice for us all, and explore ways you can make a difference and challenge inequality. Important topics such as disabilities, gender, religion, and race are discussed, giving readers all the information and practical advice needed to get their voices heard.

An activity section gives readers the opportunity to explore equality further: they can test their equality knowledge, start important conversations using the 'discussion time' questions, as well space to write down their thoughts and observations.

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Animal Crossing New Horizons Residents' Handbook Claire Lister

Perfect your island paradise with this essential guide to Animal Crossing: New Horizons.

Dreaming of an island getaway? Now you can create the perfect island paradise in Animal Crossing: New Horizons with the *Animal Crossing New Horizons*Residents' Handbook.

This essential unofficial guide contains everything you need to prepare for your new island life, including tips on how to:

- build and design your dream home
- gather resources and recipe cards to craft and customize tools, furniture and other decorative items
- populate your island with friendly animal villagers each with their own, often very funny, personalities
- help Blathers fill your island's museum with fossils, critters and art
- connect with up to 7 friends and share your personal paradise online

What's more, *Animal Crossing New Horizons Residents' Handbook* contains plenty of inspirational landscaping and terraforming ideas, insider information and guides to characters, resources and special events. It's the perfect book to help you live your best deserted island life!

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